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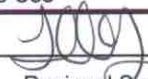
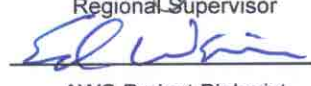
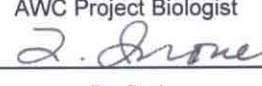
USGS Quad REGION II
HABITAT AND RESTORATION
DIVISION

Anadromous Water Catalog Number of Waterway

Name of Waterway ☒ USGS Name ☐ Local Name

☒ Addition ☐ Deletion ☐ Correction ☐ Backup Information

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Nomination # <input type="text" value="97 032"/>	 Regional Supervisor	<input type="text" value="12/5/97"/> Date
Revision Year: <input type="text"/>	 AWC Project Biologist	<input type="text" value="3/18/97"/> Date
Revision to: Atlas <input type="text"/> Catalog <input type="text"/>	 Drafted	<input type="text" value="12/11/97"/> Date
Both <input type="text"/>		
Revision Code: <input type="text" value="A2"/>		

OBSERVATION INFORMATION

Species	Date(s) Observed	Spawning	Rearing	Present	Anadromous
Coho	6/27/96	Probable	Yes	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dolly Varden	6/27/96	Probable	Yes	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>
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IMPORTANT: Provide all supporting documentation that this water body is important for the spawning, rearing or migration of anadromous fish, including: number of fish and life stages observed; sampling methods, sampling duration and area sampled; copies of field notes; etc. Attach a copy of a map showing location of mouth and observed upper extent of each species, as well as other information such as: specific stream reaches observed as spawning or rearing habitat; locations, types, and heights of any barriers; etc.

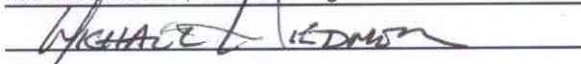
Comments: Site sampled during an ADF&G, Habitat and Restoration Division, fish habitat survey of the Western Kenai Peninsula. Captured juvenile coho salmon appear to be age-1. (n = 5, ave. 67 mm FL, range 63 - 72 mm). Juvenile Dolly Varden were also collected (1 measured: 59 mm). The Anchor River, to which South Beaver Creek flows 1.75 miles from the sample site, is known to support anadromous Dolly Varden. As the presence of juvenile coho salmon and our field observations indicate that this reach of South Beaver Creek is accessible to anadromous fish; I suggest we consider including a listing for rearing Dolly Varden in our Anadromous Waters Catalog and Atlas. No specific permanent physical barriers were noted upstream of the sample site. For a mile upstream of the sample site, the stream gradient remains relatively low, but beaver dams may temporarily block fish passage. The watershed upstream of the sample site appears accessible by road. See the attached survey form and map for details.

Name of Observer (please print)

Michael Wiedmer, Habitat Biologist

Date:

Signature:



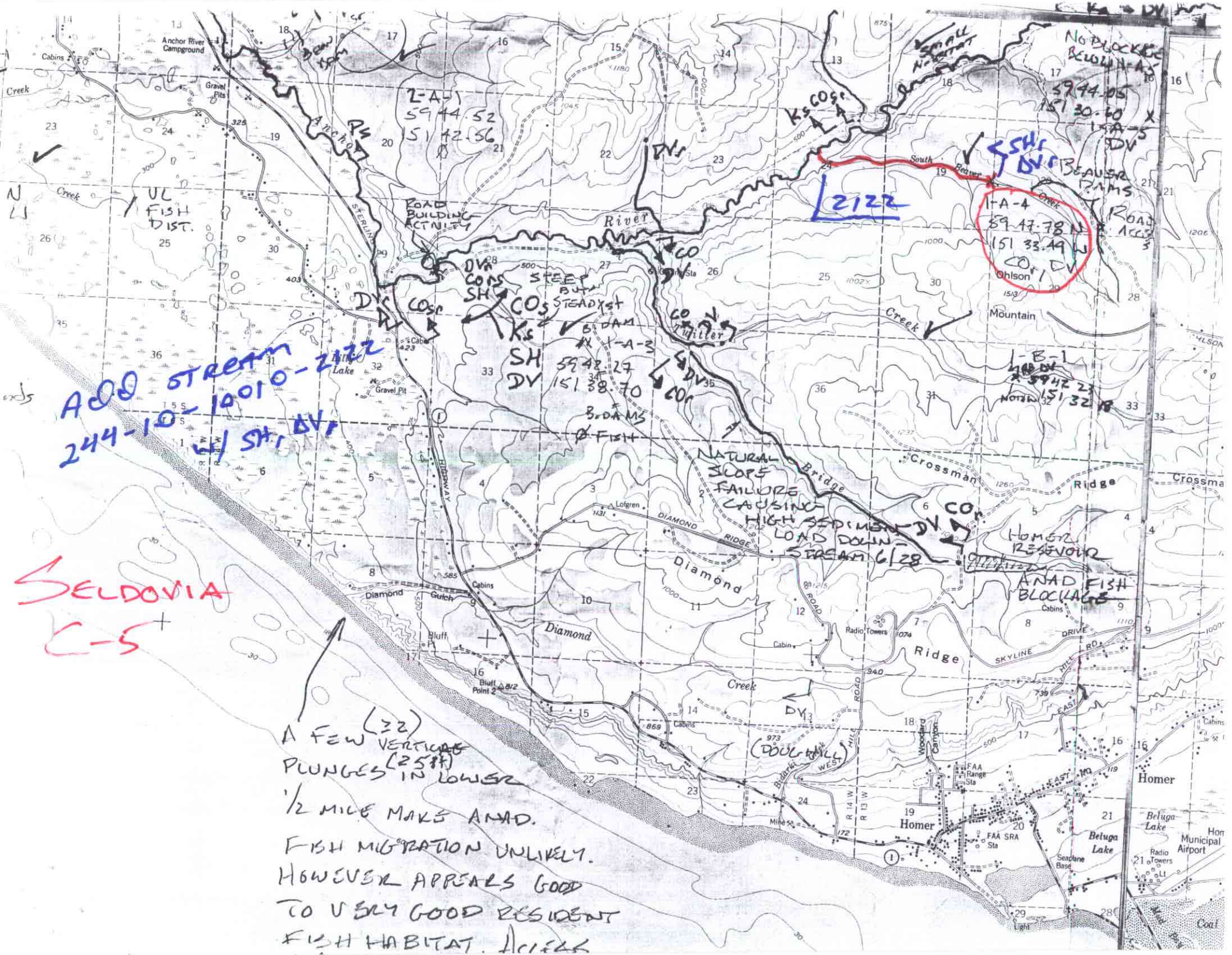
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This certifies that in my best professional judgment and belief the above information is evidence that this waterbody should be included in or deleted from the Catalog of Waters Important for Spawning, Rearing or Migration of Anadromous Fishes per AS 16.05.870.

Signature of Area Biologist: _____

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A FEW VERTICAL
PLUNGES (25 ft) IN LOWER
1/2 MILE MAKE ANAD.
FISH MIGRATION UNLIKELY.
HOWEVER APPEARS GOOD
TO VERY GOOD RESIDENT
FISH HABITAT. ACRES

